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For : METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR LOCALIZED  
ADMINISTRATION OF INHIBITORY MOIETIES TO A  
PATIENT  
Group Art Unit : 1614  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December January 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

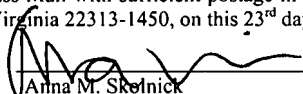
A **Sequence Listing**, in paper and CD form, and a statement under 37 CFR 1.821(f) and (g) are enclosed following page 17 of this paper.

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